

1 EXTERNALLY CUSTOMIZED TONAL-HIERARCHY CONFIGURATION AND
2 COMPLEMENTARY BUSINESS ARRANGEMENTS, FOR INKJET PRINTING

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5 RELATED PATENT DOCUMENT

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7 A related document is another, coowned U. S. utility-
8 patent document hereby incorporated by reference in its
9 entirety into this document. It is in the names of Joan
10 Manel Garcia-Reyero et al., first filed as application
11 serial 09/516,007, later converted to provisional 60/-
12 219,315, and then made to form a basis of a nonprovisional
13 application 09/632,197, "IMPROVEMENTS IN AUTOMATED
14 AND SEMIAUTOMATED PRINTMASK GENERATION FOR INCREMENTAL
15 PRINTING", and issued as U. S. Patent 6,443,556 — and
16 several earlier documents cited therein.

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19 FIELD OF THE INVENTION

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21 The invention relates generally to novel machines,
22 operating procedures, and combinations of business proce-
23 dures therewith, for incremental printing of text or
24 graphics on printing media such as paper, transparency
25 stock, or other glossy media, and myriad specialized
26 surfaces ranging from virtually unabsorbent of ink to
27 extremely absorbent; and more particularly to distributive
28 industrial arrangements for implementing an especially
29 versatile mechanism that accommodates the absorbencies and
30 other idiosyncratic properties of those specialized sur-
31 faces.

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